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Applicant: ERIKA HAWKINS ET AL.

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COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS TO QUENCH LIGHT FROM OPTICAL

REACTIONS

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed November 27, 2006, Applicant submits the following.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Restriction Requirement, thereby moving the deadline for response from December 27, 2006 to January 29, 2007.